## ROTHAPFEL LEASES THE METROPOLITAN

Doug and Fatty Will Cavort in Once Sacred Temple of Operatic Muse.

MONEY FOLK ADMIT IT

Theda Bara Tempting Goodwin to Sin May Serve to Lure Movie Minions.

The custard ple came into its own resterday. With a rip and a roar the lews suddenly detonated up and down palace of it. And instantly came the thought, "Cripes, Maggie, what Charley Chaplin can do with a custard pie with a screen as wide as the whole darn Metropolitan Opera House to throw it

wild eyed and yelling as they clattered into Sam Rothapfel's office, "Sam, is this true?" And Sam Rothapfel, movie it was true. Down to the banking house opening programme will be a white of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., in lowest William street, and straight to the desk of Otto H. Kahn, chairman of the Metropoli-tan Opera's board of directors, romped everybody next and asked Mr. Kahn how about it. Mr. Kahn said it was true, but would make no comments for ublication. Nevertheless Sam's yes and

Otto's yes made it unanimous. Early in May Impresario Rothapfel will open the Metropolitan to the movie fans with the swellest line of movie goods the known world ever has seen. When the little sentry box ticket office, which, according to the move managers' union rules, must be installed in the lobbies of all movie houses before they can be opened as picture temples of art, will be knocked into shape for Miss Extelle Baffingphone, the celebrated movie ticket seller, could not be learned definitely at a late hour last night.

tures, but mostly war pictures. Mostly cial welfare of the city do not fail to at- atrical district. He procured subscriptend." French war pictures. No Boche pic-tures, no, not at all. If Boche war pic-tures, very well, I resign. Alphonse he will resign. M. Guard he will resign. M. Ziegler he will resign if it is Boche pictures. Maybe Boche pictures of Boches junning away from the brave French pollu, but no other Boche pictures."

### Screen Suited to Dong. From Enenne's sanctum out spille

prospenium arch. Sure enough, it was present lecture engagements, found that a screen could be erected in insisted that the entire high enough to show Doug Farihanks from these lectures go to war. limbing all the way to the top of the said Mr. Empey yesterday. Woolworth Building and jumping off. A sager refused to comply with this so far custard pie battle the width of a whole as donating his own share was controlled to block can be shown. For once the cerned. So I have refused to cutst provie actor playing opposite Fatty Ar- further dates under him. The possibilities of Art will And the only solemn folks encountered

any place around the new movie house to be were the society editors, who list the boxholders present during the opera reason. Sadly the so-vety editors gathered in a little moody group out in front of the Metropolitan, tearing up their ddress books and things as they gloomily admitted that they would have to begin life all over by starting in to mem orize the city directory, instead of keep ing in mind the comparatively few BRITISH TANK SHIP

"Mercy!" cried the doyen of the so-clety editors corps as he leaned against a billboard out in front of the Metropoli-tan, which soon will be decorated with a three sheet lithograph of Theda Bara as a vampire tempting Nat Goodwin to sin. "What are we going to do-write the census every night they show a new

"Well, why not" spoke up a younger social recorder named Charles Knicker-bocker, who is said to write at space We'll not even have to be or listen: In the Harry Payne whitney per in the golden days of fall, ably in the Harry Payne whitney per in the golden days of fall, ably its Brendan's, at 101th street and Ferry coper and Elmer Cooper. Owing to ful effort to keep off the German, which its stormy weather the Misses Cooper nore raincoats, which made it impossible to get a line on their gowns, but Mr.

Two negro fremen, who refused to pass ammunition and sought cover when cooper took his overcoat off and distinct the shelling was hottest, were routed. Work of the Knights of Columbus. rooper took his overcoat off and displayed a new gray summer suit that the shelling was hottest, were routed on the shelling was hottest was possible to do duty. One of the negroes threatened Capt. Lowe and was promptly knocked down with an iron bar. He ployees of the Knights of Columbus, explained the meaning of the drive to the emaining of the strength of the war service net. When that comes to the war service net, when the company yeaterday in the auditorium of the toman of them.—but all is find that the reclamation was worth \$1.

William P. Larkin, supreme director of the Knights of Columbus, explained the meaning of the drive to the emaining of the thruster can't the Hotel Astor yesterday there are 'Rollin's Ancient History,' or said that the reclamation was worth \$1.

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### Sees Real Bright Side.

"Why, cheer up, men. Things are just prinning to brighten up. I could turn refinning to brighten up. I could turn to enough stuff this week in advance to let me it enough stuff this week in advance to let me it at an Newport for the whole the German that the tanker should surmore getting done for the winter. The Henry Clews box was occupied by Harry Hymendinger and wife, the signaging and resumed her course at hymendinger and two of their top speed.

The signalled demand of last evening were as follows:

Div. 1. Richmond. States I list top speed.

The divisional reports as surface, the divisional reports as surface, and the divisional reports and the divisional reports as surface, and the divisional reports as surface, and the divisional reports

dingers in their mansion in Flatbush.'
That's the dope, see? There are always
bound to be Smiths, Joneses, Hoopers, Hymendingers, Coopers and so on in a movie audience. And if there aren't, how'll the boss get hep, now that the regular guys won't have to be checked

ip. I'm for this advance in art Any fear that Harry Payne Whitney, Henry Clews and the rest of the regular box owners at the Metropolitan may have had that Sam Rothapfel intends to Jump the price of admission on them was set at rest last night by Sam himself. Sam is going to stick to prices that will be in the neighborhood now charged for the same length of tickets sold by the yard at the Rialto and Rivoli.

And great and glorious as Sam Roth-apfel himself admits the Rialto and Ri-voli to be, the Metropolitan, once Sam has changed its policy for the summer-months, is going to be greater than all that. Besides movies of magnitude Sam is soing to row as many players from is going to rope as many players from the Metropolitan Opera Company's or-chestra as it is possible to cut out of the herd and give his movie patrons music Eews suddenly detonated up and down between pictures that will make 'em sit up. Every year for a long time past, so fam Rothapfel, who in the movie world it was learned on high opera authority yesterday, movie men have tried to get M. Cohan and Columbus all rolled into one, had leased the Metropolitan Opera House and was about to make a movie

Rothapfel's reputation as a movie manager par excellence appealed to the opera house directors and so they have permitted Sam to lease the building for

stretch of four months. The exact date of opening the new movie house has not been arranged. All that could be learned was that the pictures would be put on "early in May."
And whether it is Doug or Mary or
Charley or Fatty who will have the honor of making the first bow from the Metropolitan Opera House screen is not known either. But everybody may rest man de luxe, blushed modestly and said assured. Sam Rothanfel says that the

All civic organizations of the city have been invited to participate Friday evening at a meeting in the Hotel Majestic arranged by the Mayor's commit-

"If you have any regard for the finan-

## EMPEY QUITS HIS MANAGER.

Soldier-Lecturer Wanta All Proceeds to Go to War Charity. Arthur Guy Empey, author of "Over

everybody to measure the height of the form, although he has cancelled his sent "I insisted that the entire proceeds from these lectures go to war charities."
said Mr. Empey vesterday, "My man-

as donating his own share was con-The soldier author, who can be reached at 15 Exchange place, Jersey City, adds that he is willing to give his services as a lecturer, and even defray his own travelling expenses, pro-

uided proceeds are given to some war charity France. He has passed the army phist-cal examination at Camp Wheeler, Geor-

# Damaged by Shrapnel, but

yesterday at an American port en-countered one of the latest and big-Parish of the Holy Spirit on Morris gest of German undersea boats several Heights, with a quota-of \$6.500, a total hundred miles off the Irish coast two of \$21.720 was reported. St. Barnabas, weeks ago. Capt. David Lowe, octo- inhas in the city, has so far collected. generian, who once commanded a clip-per in the golden days of rail, ably St. Brendan's at 207th street and Ferry

The stout hearted old master laughed ward of sixty chaplains."

The divisional reports as submitted needed the German that the tanker should sur-last evening were as follows:

## Emmy and Geraldine Jones, who are spending the week end with the Hymen-**NEAR TWO MILLIONS**

Several Parishes Exceed Their Quotas in Drive for War Contributions.

WALL ST. GIVES \$107,297

Col. Roosevelt and Acting Secretary of War Crowell Commend Patriotic Enterprise.

With warm commendation by Col. Theodore Roosevelt and Benedict Crowell Acting Secretary of War, the New York Catholic War Fund yesterday neared the \$2,000,000 mark. While

Clarence H. Mackay, chairman of the finance committee, received this indorse-ment of the war fund from Colonel

THEARING ARRANGED

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Civic Organizations Invited to Discussion of OttingerAdler Bill.

Mark Finance Committee, New York Tork Catholic War Fund:

"Dear Mr. Mackay: I most heartily wish you success in your public spirited country win this war for righteousness by furthering the movement of the catholic War Fund. Every good American must feel his heart stirred by Cardinal Farley's noble appeal. I trust the response will be more generous from every source. I hear on all sides of the admirable work done by the Knights of Columbus in the camps. The men who go to the front are fighting for all of us, and we should back them in every way. Your organization offers a peculiarly offertive means of putting our good will and strength behind them. Faithfully yours,

Theodore Roosevelt."

Into the shard Central Palace on his paw shake.

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War Department's Commendation decinitely at a late hour last night.

Billy Guard Gets Haircut.

A story that Sam Rothapfel had decided to call his new move house the Billou Dream also went unverified. But the Billou Dream also went went the Billou Dream also went unverified. But the Billou Dream also went xpress for the War Department our best

the noted picture star, in which Eddie suggested delicately that he would be grateful to Tony if Tony would put Eddie's name on the waiting list of the Screen Club.

"Pictures! Pictures!" cried Etienne, first assistant office boy to Alphonse, who is first assistant to Billy Guard, when the press office of the Metropolitan Opera House was invaded by the crowd that had interviewed Sam and Otto, Billy Guard had nothing to say for publication. Eddie Ziegler was out at the corner news stand buying a lot of motion picture trade papers. Gatti-Casazza was out, too—maybe up the street watching a picture of Bill Hart in "Hellandgone Ike of the Bad Lands."

"Yes, that it is that that" cried Etienne excitedly in the absence of any other spokesman for the opera house folk. "Very well it is that that is that that press one into this house—th. well! Very well! War pictures, Doug Pairbanks pictures, own mostly war pictures. Mostly charles, but mostly war pictures, but mostly war pictures, but mostly war pictures. Mostly clared the proposed program of the financial district yesterday were; James A. Farall, \$10.000; the Iselin family, a picture of Manhattan and part of the Screen Club.

"The New York Central appears determined to grab the city's priceless watering to grab the city's priceless watering a picture of the Metropolitan of the waterfront. Its efforts to appropriate the city's priceless watering to grab the city's priceless watering a picture of the Metropolitan of the waterfront. Its efforts to appropriate the city's priceless watering light of Manhattan and part of the street price proposed in the Legislature bearing such a commission was introduced in the Legislature bearing ger represents part of the middle west side of Manhattan. His friends excuse the middle west side of Manhattan. His friends excuse the middle west side of Manhattan. His friends excuse the middle west side of Manhattan. His friends excuse the middle west side of Manhattan. His friends excuse the middle west side of Manhattan. His friends excuse

tions from Grace George, Peggy Hyland Sophle Tucker, Harry Rovier, N. Winnis and many other well known stage people The war fund will receive 10 per cent.

of the gross sales in the Huyler stores in the city of New York to-day. A check for \$1,000 was received from Justice Victor J. Dowling as the contribution the Top," has not quit the lecture plat-form, although he has cancelled his present lecture engagements.

"Over of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick for the war fund. A similar amount was sent to the Y. M. C. A. and the Jewish Welfare Association fund. Klaw & Erlanger likewise divided \$1,000 between the three organizations. Thousands were collected vesterday by girls and beys and young women soliciting small contributions in the streets, hotels, the-atres, subwars and elevated trains. A corps of girls on the upper West Side used collection boxes to the Fights first Street Theatre yesterday and ob-tained \$600 from the audience.

Miss Dorothy Dowling, daughter of Mrs. S. Helen Bicknell collected the larg-

## LI HAD JUST ONE SNIFF: DIDN'T CARE FOR TURTLE

Well Mannered Canine Declines to Take Advantage of Popper Popp's Temporary Abstraction From Duties at the Flower Show.

to the idea.)

It is certainly a wonder that Sylvia, passed the buck bar to Mr. Young, the \$1,000 turtle that graces Mrs. H. "I've nothing to do the lt," he said. Darlington's grotto garden at the Flower Show in Grand Central Palace, ever got through yesterday alive. In the first place her life was threatened by a dog, Li Hung Chang, who involuntarily extended his hand, a good fraternal shake. That settled it. Li Hung Chang was admitted to the show yesterday afternoon after all canines had been kept out from the opening day on account of the danger of their making a meal of Svivia, and in and sniff at her. That was all.

"Ask Mr. Young.
Then Li Hung Chang, who is really a beautiful chaw, trotted up to Mr. Young and offered his paw and gave the secretary, who involuntarily extended his hand, a good fraternal shake. That settled it. Li Hung Chang was admitted, and his mistress says he absolutely did not attack Sylvia. His passion for information led him to dash in and sniff at her. That was all.

Prof. Andy Zingara, who for years their making a meal of Sylvia, and in (By the way, it is not yet decided the second place Gardener Popp, her whether Popper Popp's new haby is to faithful and vigilant chaperon, was nobe named Sylvia. Many persons have suggested it, but he doesn't seem to take to the idea. ecome a popper.

Anybody who has become the popper war fund headquarters last night of a bouncing baby girl all of a sudden showed the grand total to be \$1.867.870 hasn't much thought to spare for a turthis did not include the collections in the parish as estimated after yesterday's collections, so that it is likely the first half of the week's drive, which ended yesterday, produced more than two millions.

the did not include the collections in the collecti polse and repression this story would be

Li Hung Chang, who resides at 139
East Thirty-third street, with Miss
Charlotte Witherspoon and makes a specialty of patriotic stunts at war bazaars

Sweet Peas on Tables.

Dining tables decorated with sweet peas were the order of till day, and Mrs.

H. McK. Twombly of Madison, N. J., "SAGAMORE HULL, March 18, 1918,
"To Clarence H. Mackay, Esq., Chairman Finance Committee, New York
Catholic War Fund:
"Dean Mr. Mackay: I most heartily
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ind strength behind them. Faithfully ours, Theodore Rooszvelt."

War Department's Commendation.

Acting Secretary of War Crowell wive to Cardinal Farley: "Permit me to xpress for the War Department our best of the Raid: "Mer Hollaman promptly will act as ushers."

Were a hand toward Mr. Hollaman toward the girls of Miss Spence's school decide."

But Mr. Hollaman promptly will act as ushers. M. Y. SERGEANT IS

Parish total.
Down town committee total

# **BOOKS FOR TROOPS** GIVEN BY HUNDREDS

Committee Needs Cars to Bring Contributions to Public Library.

American Library Association says au- of this week and next Sunda: tomobiles are urgently needed to carr to the headquarters in the Public Li- BOYS TO GET ARMY TRAINING Justice Dowling, and Miss Alice John to the headquarters in the Tubus Li-Justice Dowling, and Miss Alice John son, daughter of City Chamberluin brary books which people are willing to Johnson; Mrs. H. Jerome Hush and contribute for our soldiers and sailors.

In the Morris till the tables were heaped. Pretty girls.

A BILLION ANNUALLY members of the Junior. those who wished to give books but could not deliver them personally. An-other pretty girl played the violin in the pauses of speeches unde by Archie Daw-

man so far off that he could not use a torpedo with any chance of success. The shrappel pierced lifebouts and carried away the wireless, but nobody was hur.

The stout hearted old master laughed scornfully at the signalled demand of the students.

He said: "Up to date the Knights of anxious to continue their studies in their leisure moments, and the War Departies or who were leisure moments, and the War Departies or who were leisure moments, and the War Departies or who were leisure moments, and the War Departies or who were leisure moments, and the War Departies or who were suing year. He said that he would do all the could to speed up the reclamation of the country and on the students are to have twenty huis in France. Many of the students are life to continue their studies in their leisure moments, and the War Departies or who were leisure moments, and the would do all the could to speed up the reclamation will known minor leaguers, are itching for practice, but they taven't any equipment is anxious to give them the books all the could to speed up the reclamation of the ensuring year. He said that he would do all the could to speed up the reclamation for practice, but they taven't any equipment. He wanted to cooperate with language text books on English are needed. Men ambitions to rise in the camps, made up of players who used to be cracks in college or who were suited to could to speed up the reclamation of the country and on the country and the

is the message of the war service com-

mittee.

Sweet Peas on Tables.

Samuel Gilman, 17, Shot Accidentally on Eve of His Homecoming.

KILLED AT CAMP

In the Gilman home, at 59 East 115th street, yesterday morning, the mother and father and two little sisters of throw. "To-morrow's Tuesday, and we Sergeant Samuel Gilman, Battery C. can't bring this stuff into the Garden on 228th Field Artillery, made ready for a Tuesday. It's against the law," feast. Saminy was coming home from "Oh, it's against the law, is it?"

feast ended and the family began ar-feast ended and the family began ar-ranging for a military funeral. The joy-of the household was changed very sud-denly to grief. The transformation fol-for this show for 1918. That was writ-Mich, saying that an army pistol, in the come, but we've always followed it and hands of a commissioned officer, was accidentally discharged Tuesday afternoon, and the bullet struck Sergeant Gilman. He died Tuesday evening at the base

There were no other details, excenting that the officer whose pistol had killed the sergeant was prostrated, and the authorities had declined to make public his name.

William Ketting, 36, of 34 Pine street.

while explaining the purposes of the fund
to the Excelsion Engineers at Weona
Hall, 469 West Forty-seventh street.
Iast night, was stricken with an attack
of heart failure and died a few minutes
of heart failure and died a few minutes
to the hall outside, where Dr. Cavelli of
to the hall outside, where Dr. Cavelli of
Bellevue Hospital, who happened to be
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that Ie was already dead.

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The boy had been a reighborhood
favorite When he completed his high
school course he went to work in a
drug store at l'ark avenue and 115th
street. The neighborhood came to know
and like the bright youth who was almen, eer it is too late. We cannot
being the menageries into Manhattan toheing the menageries into Manhattan toheing the menageries into Manhattan toheing the menageries into Manhattan to-

and like the bright youth who was al-Ways trying to make friends.

Youth was no barrier for the boy in the atmy. He was made a corporal and then a sergeaut, and his fellow soldiers said that he was on the road to a committee of the said that he was on the road to a committee of the said that could not be headed. When he came home two months ago on a furlough he had improved so much physically that he looked the part of a real fighting man.

He talked incessantly of going to Irance, and said that within a few mouths he would be on the fighting line.

# Junior Plattsburg Will Be Held

on Sire of Old Camp.

France. He has passed the army physical examination at Camp Wheeler, Georgia.

BRITISH TANK SHIP BEATS OFF U-BOAT

Damaged by Shrapnel, but Eighty-Court street and Parish of St Ignatius Loyola at Eighty-Court street and Parish of St Ignatius Loyola at Eighty-Court street and Parish are more than its quota.

A British tank steemehip arriving yesterday at an American port encountered one of the latest and bire.

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Standard Lamp Wheeler, Georgia and some of the second day's totals chariffeur as well the committee will be chariffeur as well the co

## A BILLION ANNUALLY members of the Junior League, eat at a label taking the names and addresses of Junk Dealers Explain Economies Effected by Thrift.

pauses of speeches made by Archie Daw.

Son of Columbia, Victor H. Palsats of the lunk that used to be specified and John Foster Carr.

Lucle Sam is taking a leaf from the publicity department, against the grand and glorious opening of the circus next wasted. Speakers at the annual meet. Fiction predominated in the books dumped on the table, though here and there a 'Rollin's Ancient History,' or something equally learned pages of the punk that used to be wasted. Speakers at the annual meeting of the National Waste Material Dealers at the Hotel Astor yeared said that the reclamation was worth as

effect president for the en-He said that he would do well known minor leaguers, are itching. A

# ANDY BRINGS CIRCUS NAT IS HAPPY NOW; TO MADISON SQUARE CALLED BEST ACTOR

Babe Leads the Procession Came When Sent For, States

This is the last day of the Flowe Show, an exhibit which has been very successful and well attended despite war time conditions. There was a time after it was planned, when its projec tors debated whether they had not bet-ter call it off, and indeed many of the elaborate features they proposed were

Madison Square Garden at daylight concern it Madison Square Garden at daylight abandoned. But the attendance every day proved that a people at war do no lose their appreciation of beauty. Tuesday morning.

leopards," mumbled Andy, stuffing the leight, ten, fourteen, twenty-two flonswon first prize: Mrs Charles Bradley of Morristown second, and Mrs. Isaac Straus of Mamaroneck third. Mrs. Payne Whitney and Mrs. R. Watts, for-Napoleon! I'll teach you to stay out in the freight yard after your bedtime."— some of the winesses had been saying and Andy stuffed the twenty-third lion for the last two days.

for an exhibit of sweet peas of a red-dish purple, in a class by themselves. Other winners were W. R. Coe, J. H. Thompson, Mirs Selah Van Riper and of thinking out loud, "I'd better get me Peter Hanch, Jr. A silver medal was a couple of jaguar crates and some hogs-awarded Charles Hagenburger for a new plant, "New Solanum," which looks pack me up some elephants."

### Helping Andy.

Through the black freight yard wan-dered one of the lads in the publicity department of Barnum & Bailey's Greatest, a stout, corn fed boy named Harry "Look at the picture," returned the Staton, who had promised Andy that he witness. "There is no way that Nat Staton, who had promised Andy that he would help Andy pass the long hours of hight nursing the sick tiger by shooting crap for Andy's accumulation of winter He did his work like Nat Goodwin. He is the best actor in America and has the tiger's come last a last a last and has hear ever since I have him." the tiger's cage just as Andy was beginning to sort out the hippopotami.
"Why the rush with the animals.
Andy" asked the Staton lad, producing asked the Staton lad, producing

pair of top heavy dice and jigging hem by way of batting practice. "Why the rush?" repeated Andy Zingara in amazement. "Why, you poor dish faced coot, don't you know that by to-morrow night we have to have this whole show stored in Madison Square Garden, away down in New York city"
"No, I don't know anything of the
sort," drawled Harry Staton, throwing "To-morrow's Tuesday, and we

amp Custer on a furlough before going sneered Andy Zingara, reaching under the There.

Last night the preparations for the tiger's head and drawing forth a little lowed the receipt of a telegram from ten back in 1889, when Pee Tee made Camp Custer, which is near Battle Creek, out the schedule for thirty years to

## Overlooked by P. T.

Harry Staton tumped up from the lose in order to verify the statement

"Stop!" cried Harry Staton "Stop, men, eer it is too late. We cannot bring the menageries into Manhattan to-

cance, and said that within a few ington could not be expected to stretch on the would be on the fighting line, the land to the further extent of pertions age his parents for a letter mitting Mr. Barnum and Br. Bailey to The war service committee of the come home some time between Tuesday tigers, hippopetanis, and herds tigers, hippopetanis, and herds tigers. thinoceroses and thinocerum, and herds of gooks into town on Meatless Tuesda

## The Gook Defined.

The gooks alone would har any most exhibit, inasmuch as the gook is a species of monkey with a tail so fat that

fed Harry, Dexter and Jay, the leaders of the flock of press agents, a ration of wheat cakes to make up for the void that resulted from Wheatless Wednesday and bedded the press agents down for the night in their stalls. And to-day everybody will be up bright and early, turning somersaults in the prac-

## HOSPITAL UNIT ASKS \$400. Needs It to Buy Baseball Outfit

for I'm in France. Base Hospital 116, now quartered in Seventy-first Regiment awaiting orders for service in France has more baseball players to the square foot than any similarly sized organiza-

has been the head valet to the animals ture director for the Mirror Film Company but now in the employ of A. H est Show on Any Earth, was seated com- Woods, appeared before Justice Greenfortably beside a sick tiger that he had baum and a jury in the Supreme Court to stay up with all night last Monday yesterday in the role of a stanch dein the winter quarters of the Greatest at fender of Nat C. Goodwin's conduct as Bridgeport, Andy dividing his time be- a movie star during the time the latter tween measuring out beliadonna for the was employed by Clifford B. Harmon's

concern for \$13,000, which is what he alleges is due him in back pay because he was discharged eleven weeks before "Two, four, six, eight, ten, twelve, his contract expired, was plainly pleased thirteen, two young ones, seventeen at what came out on the witness stand thirteen, two young ones, seventeen at what came out on the witness stand during the third day of the trial. When adjournment was taken until Fridaydeepards into a crate. "Two, four, six. because Mr. Goodwin had to hurry up to eight, ten, fourteen, twenty-two flons—the Booth Theatre to appear at his matinee-he left the court room with are, Napoleon, you bad, bad boy. Take the happiest of humors, Mr. Marston had that:—and that: And take that, you called him "the best actor in America" and it sounded good, coming after wha

and Andy stuffed the twenty-third has in with a crate of monkeys. There's nothing, so Andy and other scientists director for the Mirror company when Goodwin was starred in several pictures. Mr. Goodwin, so Marston testiures. Mr. Goodwin, so Marston testiures. up with the monkeys.
"Now," mused Andy Zingara, who fied, "always came to the studio week was sent for and invariably did good

"If a man of Mr. Goodwin's position comes in late and you say to him, 'We've got to get through this picture to-day—hirry up' he'll say, 'All right,'" said Marston, 'but if a five dollar a day man comes late, of course the manager would call him down."

"Wasn't Mr. Goodwin sleepy, tired nervous and irritable when he went to work at the studio?" Mr. Marston was

Mr. Goodwin straightened up in his chair and Mrs. Goodwin looked first at Mr. Marston and then at the jury and then at Mr. Goodwin and smiled. It was a great moment.

Concerning an argument with Mr. Goodwin relative to a fight on the floor of the Stock Exchange in the film called "A Wall Street Tragedy," Mr. Marston

put up a strong fight, but he said he was supposed to be an old man and that if he rushed on and put up a fight like John L. Sullivan it would make both the actor and the director look ridiculous. I saw the force of his argument. Besides this, Marston said Mr. Good-win pointed out that he was playing the part of a man of J. Pierpont Morgan's and it was absurd to think that Mr. Morgan would "rush in there am those maniacs over fourteen shares of

### FIRE CHIEF'S HEIRS WIN. William Rowe Survived Brother Is

Decision on \$110,000 Estate. Surrogate George M. S. Shultz of Bronx county, decided yesterday that the late William Rowe, a former Bat-talion Chief in the Fire Department, survived his brother, Thomas Rowe. The disposition of an estate valued at more than \$110,000 depended upon the

Andy Zingara had made. Sure enough decision there in the straggly writing of P. T. Thomas Rowe was a sailor and was there in the straggly writing of P. T. Thomas Rowe was a sailor and was last seen in 1887. A number of relatives of the two men are claimants to the tives of the two men are claimants. sence of a judicial determination that

Thomas Rowe was dead, complications
would have resulted.

ways characterized him. The library of his residence was banked with roses, carnations and longuils. There have been

vesterday.

### MORGUE CHIEF HAD HEARSE HAUL COAL Williamsburgers Get Cause to

lt is the custom in nearly all foreign hunds when a hearse makes its stately way through the streets to uncover and silently salute what former home of a soul may rest within the funeral.

Thus it changed that the funeral of the street within the st Thus it chanced that during the hitter cold of last winter many residents of Williamsburg and vicinity stood in the and chill blasts, heads bare and silently praying, as the hearse from the city morgue at Bellevue Hospital, heavily laden, went its way toward Bayside And, following the idea of Grey's Elegs, there were many who speculated upon what the hearse might contain. Hands that the rod of empire might have awayed could have been in the hearse, but, according to information that came vesterday to Commissione of Accounts David Hirschfield, were not. The sombre vehicle contained on each

Earl H. Burritt, former superintendent of the Morgue, made the admission to the Commissioner and said that he sent tion of the army, and is willing to bet on the assumption.

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trip a ton of coal.

A couple of mortuary attendants ment inter the coal in the Burritt Raiph Naples, the regular hears cellar. driver, testified that he drove the coal to its last resting place, and said that ed. Men additions to rise in the decomposed in the department of the property of the property

# The Sun Calendar

THE WEATHER.

For eastern New York-Fair to-day and to-morrow; gentle to moderate Babe Leads the Procession
From Mott Haven With
Roller Skate on Trunk.

BAD LION IS PUNISHED WAS DIGNIFIED FIGHTER

Came When Sent For, States
Winds, mostly northeast.
For New Jersey, fair in north; probably to-morow, fair; little change in day; to-morrow, fair; little change in mostly northeast.
For New Jersey, fair in north; probably to-morow; gentle to moderate shifting winds.
For New England, fair to-day and to moderate shifting winds.
For western New York, fair to-day and probably to-morow; little change in temperature. winds, mostly northeast.

washington. March 10 — A ministrate depression persists over the south Atlantic States, and rains continued in that selles and extended into central Tennesses and extended into central Tennesses and extended into central Tennesses and rains and snows in the middle and southern Virginia. There were also be rains and snows in the middle and south fair, but with general low pressite to rair, but with general low pressite occupit in New England and the middle X lantic States.

Temperatures remain high cost of the Rocky Mountains except in the case of the mountains except in the case of the mountains except in New Mexico and Arieman and south Atlantic States, and the risen generally west of the mountains except in New Mexico and Arieman is probable Thursday from South the continuous the south northeastward into the nouth pressivants and New Jerses wise the weather will be general. Thursday and Friday east of the Miyes appl River, with somewhat higher the LOCAL with the south in the South.

LOCAL WEATHER RECORD 1918, 1917 --40 36 -48 44 --52 51

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MINIATURE ALMANA HIGH WATER THIS DAY Sandy Hook 2:50 A M Gov. Island 2 42 A M Hell Gate... 5:40 A M LOW WATER THIS DAY Sandy Hook. 9:24 A M Gov Island 15 LAM Hell Gate. . . . 12 00 A M

### EVENTS TO-DAY

George Haven Putnam speaks on The Call of the Republic," West Park Fresh byterian Church, Eighty skith effect and Amsterdam avenue, 8 P. M.
Charles H. Livermore speaks on the Spots of Racial Antagonism. New Yest. Pace Society, 10 Fifth evenue, 4 P. M.
Dr. George Sidney Webster speaks of Seamen, Affoat and Ashore, Havenuro, Hall, Columbia University, vi. F. M.
Rotary Club luncheon, Hotel Mangel 1330 P. M.
National Industrial conference Brack meeting, Hotel Astor, 10 A. M.
West End Women's Republican Club, meeting, Hotel Astor, 2 P. M.
Dixle Club, meeting, Hotel Astor, 7 P. M.
Daughters of the Empire State, meeting Waldorf, 1 P. M.
National Society of New Ungain Waldorf, 1 P. M.
Mrs. August Helmont speaks on Wart Volunteer Hospital garment accreament. Third avenue and Fifty-inith steel 3:30 P. M.
G. Clyde Fisher speaks on Harley Company of the Company Chemists Club, 5 Meeting Hotel, Nationalism, Chemists Club, 5 Meeting Hotel, Respectively, 10 P. M.
Owen Jahnson speaks on The Liest of Nationalism, Chemists Club, 5 Meeting Holly Chemists Clu

PUBLIC LECTURES TO NIGH

MANHATTAN the Pire Department. The only evidence of the death of Thomas Rowe was a letter written by the late chief in 1894 in which he said he had not heard from his brother in seven years.

BISHOP GREER HEARTY AT 74.

Prelate Receives Felicitations
From Host of Friends.

The Right Rev. David H. Greer.
Rishop of the Episcopal Diocese of New York observed his seventy-fourth birth-day yesterday, and in his residence adjoining the beautiful Cathedral of St. John the Divine he received the felicitations of hundreds of friends.

John the Divine he received the felicitations of hundreds of friends.

Certainly the distinguished prelate impressed those who visited him with possessing the same wonderful vision and expression of thought that has always characterized hum. The library of his residence was banked with roses.

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## RECRUITS SWAMP COMMITTEE

Mayor's Defence Board Jakes M. P. at Rate of One a Minnie

The recruiting division of the M. a rush at the midday session The committee was asked

Mike Donovan Improved A decided improvement last night York Athletic Club for my Francisk Hospital Dr. Donlin, his physician had gained strength of AK 19